

# Student Newsletter

## Highlights of Term 1

### Canberra Tour:

At the start of the year the Year Sixes went to Canberra. When they were there they saw some important people including Julia Gillard.

### RMIT:

RMIT Sport started for the Prep to 3s this term. They have enjoyed participating in the different sports on offer.

### Leap:

This term everyone participated in LEAP. There were fun activities like Puffing Billy, Billy Carts and loads of other fun activities.

### House Netball:

House netball was run this term by the JSC and House Captains. Read more about it on the sports page.

### House Mascots:

A competition was run to design mascots for our 4 houses: Cuthbert, Freeman, Roycroft and Strickland. See the designs on the sports page.

### Junior School Council:

This term we elected our JSC for the year. Well done to everyone who tried out for JSC.

### The Lion King

#### Auditions

Nicole has been auditioning students for parts in the upcoming Findon Production. Stay tuned for the announcement.

### Ride to school day:

Tuesday was our ride to school day. Well done to everyone who either rode their bike or walked to school.

### Coming Soon:

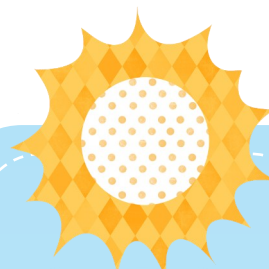
These events are coming up in the next few days.

### Cross Country:

Thursday is cross country for the year 4/5/6's.

### Out of school uniform:

This Friday, the last day of term is our fundraiser so remember to come in out of school uniform and bring a gold coin donation.



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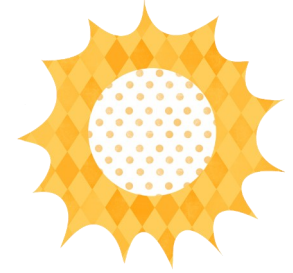
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# Behind the scenes



## Fundraising

Our Fundraiser this term is going to be a out of school uniform day gold coin donation on the last day of term. The money is going towards making the playground a safer and better place. So don't forget to bring a gold coin donation and come in out of school uniform on the 30/3.

In the JSC there are 4 committees (groups) they are: Environmental, Fundraising, Playground and Newsletter.

The Environmental Committee:

This committee help keep our environment safe, clean and organised.

The Fundraising Committee:

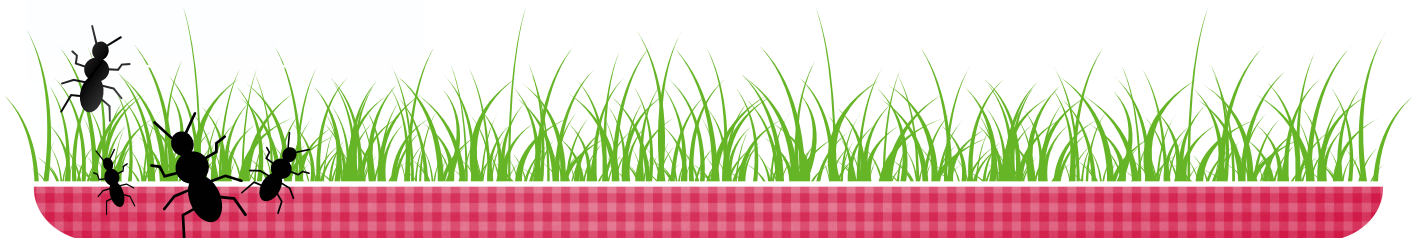
This committee organises our school fundraisers e.g. the disco and out of school uniform days.

The Playground Committee:

This committee helps make the playground a fun and exciting place where everyone is included in fun activities.

The Newsletter Committee:

This is the committee that every term puts out a Student newsletter full of games, interviews and sport updates.



# INTERVIEW WITH MARY Z

**Q: How is teaching going so far for you?**

**A:** I love it so much. I love having my own class

**Q: How are your students?**

**A:** They are wonderful. They are lovely.

**Q: Have you always wanted to be a teacher?**

**A:** No, I had another job as a counsellor.

**Q: What has been the most exciting thing that has happened so far for you?**

**A:** Having two fantastic children of my own.

**Q: Are you enjoying teaching?**

**A:** Yes definitely

**Q: What has been your favourite subject to teach?**

**A:** Maths and Integrated Studies

**Q: If you got to teach another age group of students which one would you choose?**

**A:** 4/5's

**Q: If you got to have another job (e.g. Vice Principal or specialist teacher) which one would you be?**

**A:** A Performing Arts Teacher

**Q: What would be your idea of a class privilege?**

**A:** A game outside

**Q: Who is your favourite teacher to work with at this school?**

**A:** All of them

Interviewed by Alana Di Benedetto





# Games Page



## Word search



Words to find:

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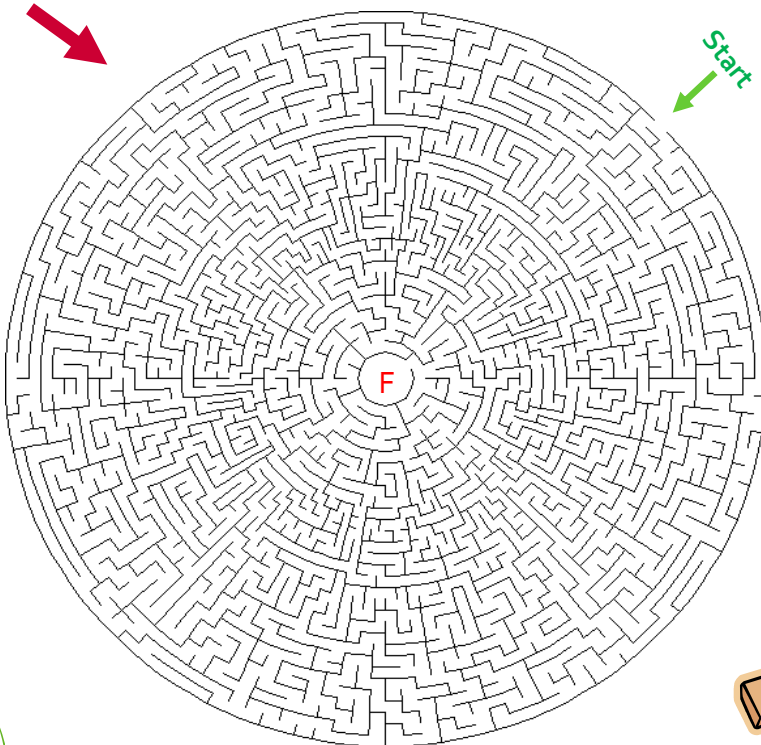
Drama

Art

Challenge  
Your Self.

Can you make your way through the mazes?

Monster Maze:



Junior Maze:



## Try to colour in Garfield

### Colouring in competition

Try your best at colouring in Garfield. Then cut out your effort, write your name and home group on the back and we will award 50 house points to the best entry from each Learning Team.



## Can you solve this Sudoku Challenge?

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# Sports Page



We have been running House Netball at lunchtimes on Tuesday and Thursday. The games have been running for 10 minutes and people have been enjoying playing the games in a good spirit.

At Findon we have house captains for our sport houses. They are:

Roycroft: Gemma Walker and Lachlan Potter

Cuthbert: Caitlyn Matthews and Aaron Tkocz

Freeman: Tiffany Stingas and Francesco Quagliarella

Strickland: Emily Stojanov and Samet Balci.

## Upcoming events

For the rest of this term and the start of next term we will be running all different events; they will be Cross Country on Thursday, House Athletics at the start of term two, House Basketball for 3/4s and 5/6s. House football for the P-3 and 4/5/6s will start next term with Samuel Evans and Jack Wilkinson.

## HOUSE MASCOTS

Findon has house mascots for all of our four houses Cuthbert, Freeman, Roycroft and Strickland. Cuthbert's house mascot is called Cuthbert Cougars, Freeman's house mascot is called the Freeman Falcon, Roycroft's house mascot is called the Roycroft Rhino and last but not least Strickland's House Mascot is called the Strickland Shark. These house mascots have been designed by some of our students at Findon. Cuthbert Cougars was designed by Sarah Togatuki in 6 SW, Freeman Falcons was designed by Isobel Miller in 4/5 CM, Roycroft Rhinos was designed by Antonia Salazar in 6 BK and Strickland Sharks was designed by Caitlyn Matthews from 6 YC, Ashlee Opasinis from 6 YC and Samantha Lai from 6 BK.

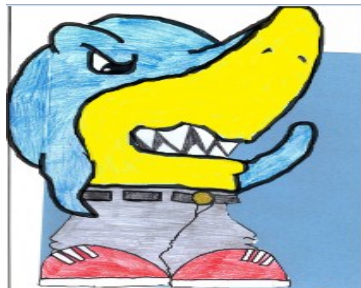
Freeman  
Falcons



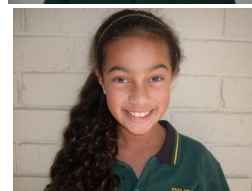
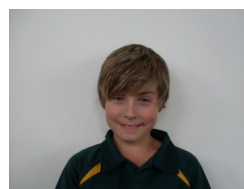
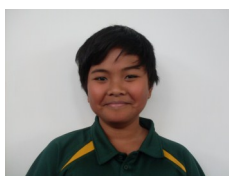
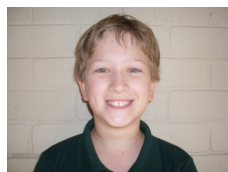
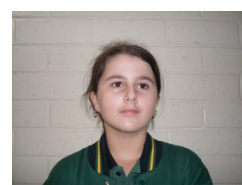
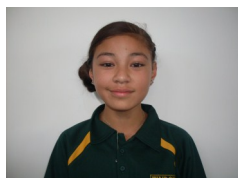
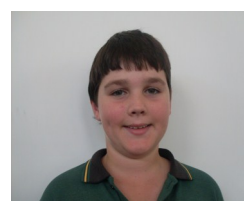
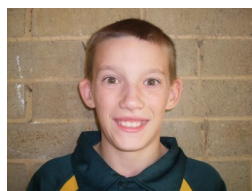
Cuthbert Cougars



Strickland Sharks



# JSC Photos



## Term 1 - Class Leaders



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Have a safe and fun holiday.

Remember when riding a bike wear  
a helmet to protect your self.

# Have A Good

# Holiday



Thank you for reading our news-  
letter I hope you enjoyed it.